

1975 Total Fatalities: 6

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-007-75	Canoe	Gas	1-1/2	River	Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 50-year-old female was canoeing with husband from Macks Inn to McCreas. Canoe swamped in rapids. Victim was swept downstream and lodged against rocks and snag.							
16-030-75	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	River	Snake	Gooding & Twin Falls	1
Narrative: 23-year-old male was pulling a skier while sitting on the back of the driver 's seat. Victim swerved hard to avoid a collision, fell out, and was struck by the propeller when the boat began to circle.							
16-039-75	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Lake Walcott	Cassia	3
Narrative: Four males (one 24 yrs., one 34 yrs. old) capsized their 16-foot Grumman canoe while paddling to shore from Bud Island. Two victims drowned in the 39N water waiting for rescue. The other two victims were rescued by boaters. One died of exposure on the way to the hospital. Alcohol involved.							
UNK	Open Motor	Gas	85	Lake	Alturas	Blaine	1
Narrative: 27-year-old male drowned after diving in to retrieve two water skis. Other passenger had just fallen out, cutting a 4" x 1/2" laceration on chest from stern light. No PFD worn. Alcohol involved.							

1976 Total Fatalities: 4

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-008-76	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Selway	Idaho	2
Narrative: 18-year-old and 55-year-old males drowned after they were ejected from their raft 2-1/2 miles below the Moose Creek Ranger Station. The raft broke an oar and rescuers were unable to get to them. They both floated downstream and did not appear to try to swim to shore. Both were wearing PFDs. Bodies were discovered the next day by helicopter.							
16-031-76	Sail (only)	Sail	N/A	Reservoir	Dworshak	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 68-year-old male drowned after his sailboat capsized in heavy weather. Unobserved accident. Boaters found capsized 17 ft. sailboat and towed it to shore. Underneath they discovered victim clutching seat cushion, dead. No PFD worn.							
16-033-76	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	American Falls	Power	1
Narrative: 24-year-old male drowned after he and another male swamped the 14 ft canoe at 4:00 am. Survivor swam the swamped canoe to shore to empty it, leaving the victim floating in an unsecured PFD. Survivor returned but could not find victim. Alcohol involved.							

1977 Total Fatalities: 4

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-001-77	Open Motor	Gas	175	River	Salmon	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 53-year-old male was operating a 24 ft aluminum OB boat heading downstream in Slider Rapids. Victim's boat struck a rock, spinning the boat, ejecting five people. No one was wearing a PFD. Four subjects were rescued by a commercial guide.							
16-004-77	Sail	Sail	N/A	River	Spokane	Kootenai	2
Narrative: 47-year-old male was sitting with his wife. The wind died and their boat drifted into power lines. Victim #1 died of electrocution. Victim #2, unknown age male, dove in to push boat away from lines and drowned. PFDs on boat, but not worn.							
16-037-77	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Clearwater	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 39-year-old male drowned after 18 ft. canoe swamped while he tried to pull up anchor. Two young male subjects survived wearing PFDs. Victim was tangled in anchor line. No PFD worn.							

1978 Total Fatalities: 5

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-008-78	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 17-year-old male drowned after he and three male friends were ejected into the river from their raft. No PFDs on board or worn.							
16-020-78	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	S. Fork Payette	Boise	1
Narrative: 55-year-old male drowned while kayaking in Banana Peel. He struck a submerged log and was pinned under water. PFD may have been worn, but was not USCC approved. Victim was nationally-known white water expert and was with a party of eight boaters.							
16-032-78	Open Motor	Gas	225	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male struck a log boom at 10:30 pm. Three other males received injuries. Boat severely damaged. Victim disappeared into water. PFDs on board but no worn.							
16-043-78	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Lemhi	1
Narrative: Unknown age female drowned after her raft, operated by a 28-year-old male, struck a head gate abutment and capsized. PFD use unknown.							
16-045-78	Open Motor	Gas	35	Lake	Pend O'Reille	Bonner	1
Narrative: 63-year-old female drowned after she and unknown others capsized their 12 foot OB. Other family members picked victim and subjects, but their 16 foot OB became overloaded and capsized. No PFDs in first boat and not used in second boat. Victim may have caused second boat to capsize due to medical emergency. Witness stated she began to wheeze and then fell over unconscious, causing the capsize.							

1979 Total Fatalities: 1

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-009-79	Open Motor	Gas	240	Lake	Hayden	Kootenai	1

Narrative: Unknown person (sex, age, and name) died after the 19 foot IO he was a passenger in collided with a second vessel while on plane. Second vessel was approaching at a 45 degree angle from the first vessel bow. Second victim in Boat #1 was seriously injured. PFDs on board, but not used.

1980 Total Fatalities: 3

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-010-80	Jet Ski	Gas	9	River	Spokane	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 43-year-old male drowned after drinking half of a fifth of alcohol, then riding a Kawaski jet ski. Victim did not wear a PFD. Victim fell off and could not swim. He was unable to catch it as it circled three times before he went under.							
16-020-80	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 28-year-old male drowned after he and his six companions were thrown from their 6-man raft just below Cottonwood Creek. Victim was not wearing a PFD. Alcohol involved.							
16-022-80	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 24-year-old male drowned after their raft capsized at the old Woodville Diversion Dam. Apparently, no PFDs on board.							

1981 Total Fatalities: 7

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-001-81	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Priest	Bonner	1
Narrative: 28-year-old male and his wife were canoeing through 8 Mile Rapids. Boat swamped. Victim was a swimmer, but not wearing a PFD. No PFDs on board.							
16-003-81	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Spokane	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 33-year-old male was canoeing with female. Canoe overturned, throwing both into the water. The victim left the boat to retrieve a paddle, but did not make it back. Neither were wearing PFDs. No PFDs on board.							
16-005-81	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Spokane	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 18-year-old male was canoeing on flat water with two other males, age 16. The canoe capsized. Victim was not wearing a PFD and drowned. PFDs were available.							
16-012-81	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	N. Fork Clearwater	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 17-year-old male was canoeing with second juvenile male, through white water below Isabella Creek. Canoe overturned. Victim was not wearing a PFD. At least one type IV was on board. Rental canoe.							
16-016-81	Open Motor	Gas	N/A	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 25-year-old female died by drowning. She was in a 16 foot OB. Unknown circumstances. Boater inexperience and alcohol listed as causes. PFDs were on board, not used.							
16-025-81	Open Motor	Gas	120	Lake	Pend O' Reille	Bonner	1
Narrative: 27-year-old male was waterskiing. His boat passed within 50 feet of a stationary boat. Victim swung out, acting as if he was going to splash the second boat. Victim struck head on stationary boat, causing head and neck injuries.							
16-042-81	Open Motor	Gas	5.5	Lake	Anderson	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 31-year-old male was duck hunting with second adult male. Their 12 foot OB swamped due to overloading or improper loading. No PFDs on board. Victim and subject held onto duck decoy buoy. Both became hypothermic. Victim succumbed to 50 degree water and sank before rescue could be made.							

1982 Total Fatalities: 11

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-001-82	Aux Sail	Gas/Sail	5.5	Lake	Pend O' Reille	Bonner	5
Narrative: Five persons died when their 20 foot sail boat under power struck power lines while maneuvering at a dock. Voltage caused burns to all victims. One passenger survived with bruises and burns.							
16-028-82	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 35-year-old male drowned when his 12 foot Mackinze drift boat swamped in Slide Rapids. Victim disappeared after capsize. PFDs were available. It is unknown if a PFD was on victim.							
16-034-82	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Priest	Bonner	1
Narrative: 27-year-old female drowned after her 14 foot canoe capsized in Binarah Rapids. Victim and husband were towing skin diver on inner tube through rapids. No PFDs on board.							
16-037-82	Open Motor	Gas	25	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 70-year-old male drowned after his 14 foot OB swamped in rapids while towing two logs to shore. Logs were tied to stern of boat. No PFDs on board. Surviving wife suffered hypothermia.							
16-040-82	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Lake	Pend O' Reille	Bonner	1
Narrative: 18-year-old male drowned after his canoe swamped on flat water. Another 17-year old male on board survived. Both tried to swim to shore. No PFDs on board or worn.							
16-042-82	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male drowned after falling from his 10 foot raft. Victim was swept downstream and was not wearing a PFD (or may have been but it was not fastened properly).							
16-043-82	Open Motor	Gas	100	Reservoir	Brownlee	Adams	1
Narrative: 42-year-old victim drowned when his 16 foot OB failed to start and was broached and swamped on the bridge pilings below Brownlee Dam. PFDs were available, but not used.							

1983 Total Fatalities: 4

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-005-83	Cabin Motor	Gas	(2) 45	Reservoir	Dworshak	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 60-year-old female drowned after the 26 foot OB she was a passenger in rolled over while making a sharp turn. PFDs were on board, but not worn. Husband and second subject suffered hypothermia.							
16-015-83	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Clark	Bonner	2
Narrative: 16 and 17-year-old males drowned when their 17 foot canoe capsized on flat water after one victim stood up and rocked the boat. Total of four males on board; two were able to swim ashore. No PFDs on board or worn.							
16-016-83	N/A	N/A	N/A	River	N. Fork Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 32-year-old male drowned after canoe, loaded with his four children and a second adult male, collided with a rock and capsized. Victim and second adult did not have PFDs. All children were wearing PFDs. Victim, a non-swimmer, left the safety of shore to swim after his child floating down river.							

1984 Total Fatalities: 8

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-004-84	Cabin Motor	Gas	155	Lake	Pend O'Reille	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 46-year-old female drowned after jumping into the water when her 24 foot IO exploded. Victim and second subject had just refueled boat and were trying to start it. Boat exploded and began to burn. Victim was delivering mail for the US Mail Service. PFDs were on board, but not worn.							
16-006-84	Open Motor	Gas	60	Reservoir	Little Camas	Elmore	1
Narrative: 26-year-old male drowned after the 15 foot OB fishing boat he was riding in capsized. Lake was very choppy. Boat took waves over stern, capsized, and sunk. Victim was a non-swimmer. PFDs on board, but not used. Alcohol may have been involved.							
16-008-84	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Lower Arcadia	Fremont	1
Narrative: 79-year-old male drowned after falling out of his 14 foot rowboat while fishing. No PFDs worn or on board.							
16-011-84	Cabin Motor	Gas	N/A	River	Snake	Idaho (Wallowa)	2
Narrative: Two males of unknown age drowned after their 21 foot aluminum inboard (?) swamped and sank at Chimney Bar Creek. Nine persons on board at the time of the accident. One other subject injured. No PFDs on board or worn.							
16-012-84	Sailboat	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Magic	Blaine	1
Narrative: 24-year-old female died from electrocution after touching a 16 foot sailboat she was trying to beach that had come in contact with power lines. Second subject, the 32-year old male operator, was seriously injured. No PFDs on board or worn. Alcohol was consumed by the operator.							
16-018-84	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Spokane	Kootenai	1
Narrative: Female (age unknown) was drowned when the 4-person raft she was riding capsized in white water. Three subjects total in raft; both males were able to swim to shore. No PFDs on board or worn.							
16-025-84	Inner Tube	Manual	N/A	Lake	Lowell	Canyon	1
Narrative: 13-year-old male drowned after leaving his inner tube and swimming for shore. No PFDs used or on board.							

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Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-007-85	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Custer	1
Narrative: Male (age unknown) drowned after the McKinay drift boat from which he was fishing struck a bridge abutment and capsized. Three persons on board at the time of the accident. Beer and brandy were being consumed. Seat cushions on board but not used.							
16-012-85	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon		1
Narrative: 31-year-old male drowned after the raft he and two other males were riding in began to lose air. Victim and subjects were forced into the water. Victim was last seen standing in waist deep swift current 60 feet from shore. No PFDs on board or used. All subjects and victim had been drinking.							
16-016-85	Open Motor	Gas	140	Reservoir	Lucky Peak	Boise	1
Narrative: 29-year-old male drowned after the 16 foot OB boat he was riding n ran into a rock wall while pulling a water skier. The operate was looking at the skier and did not see the collision course. Four injuries out of the six persons on board. One broken neck, one broken back, one broken jaw. PFDs on board and used. 35-year-old male operator had less than 20 hours operating experience.							
16-038-85	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Boise	Ada	2
Narrative: Two males aged 21 and 23 drowned when their rented canoe capsized in the outwash of Lucky Peak Dam. Alcohol was on board and some had been consumed. Neither was wearing a PFD. Unknown if any were on board.							
16-041-85	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Lemhi	1
Narrative: 31-year-old male drowned after the canoe he was riding in capsized near the mouth of Panther Creek. Neither he nor the other male subject were wearing PFDs. Victim was a non-swimmer. Unknown if PFDs were on board.							
16-043-85	Open Motor	Gas	45	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 27-year-old male drowned after falling out of the 16 foot OB he was riding in. The boat, operated by a 35-year-old male, struck a submerged rock and the victim was ejected. PFDs were on board, but not used.							

1985 Total Fatalities: 8 (cont..)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-046-85	Cabin Motor	Gas	260	Lake	Pend O' Reille	Kootenai	1

Narrative: 46-year-old male fell out of his 25 foot IO and drowned while fishing with his wife. Victim had a fish on his line and fell while reaching for his pole. Victim was a swimmer. Water temperature was 55 degrees. Victim may have been injured as he fell in. PFDs on board, but not worn by victim or subject.

1986 Total Fatalities: 19

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-001-86	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Madison	1
Narrative: 53-year-old male drowned when the 11 foot McKenzie river boat he was drift fishing from stuck a log jam and capsized. Victim's 24-year-old son and a 27-year-old male operator swan to shore. Victim was last seen clinging to the swamped boat while in the current. PFDs were accessible but not worn.							
16-004-86	Speedboat	Gas	UNK	Reservoir	American Falls	Power	3
Narrative: Three males, ages 16, 20, and 31, drowned in unknown circumstances when their 16 foot jet boat sank on choppy water. Severe storms and heavy seas were likely contributors. No one was wearing PFDs. One PFD was recovered the next day. Water temperature was 48 degrees.							
16-005-86	Open Motor	Gas	40	River	Snake	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 19-year-old male drowned while helping retrieve a 15 foot OB that had come loose from its moorings. Boat had previously been sucked through a diversion dam. Boat was turtled close to shore. Victim climbed on but was unable to hold onto lines thrown from shore. Boat drifted toward white water. Victim jumped off and tried to swim to shore. Victim not wearing a PFD.							
16-006-86	Open Motor	Gas	40	River	Snake	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 38-year-old male drowned after the 16 foot OB he was riding in swamped. Victim and a 36-year-old male operator/owner were fishing. Their anchor line entangled with the lower unit. As the rope was being removed, waves came into the stern and swamped the boat. Victim swan for shore. No PFDs were worn by either. Seat cushions were accessible.							
16-007-86	Raft	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	American Falls	Bannock	1
Narrative: 26-year-old male drowned after succumbing to hypothermia. Victim and 26-year-old male subject were paddling in heavy chop and wind. Nightfall came and they were forced to spend the night out. The victim and subject chose to ditch the raft and walk out. Victim and subject were hypothermic and became separated. Victim was later found dead, lying head first half in and half out of the water. Water temperature was 35 degrees.							

1986 Total Fatalities: 19 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-012-86	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Lake	Coeur d' Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 72-year-old male drowned after his 16 foot canoe capsized in unknown circumstances. Victim found close to shore in 4 feet of water. Victim had history of poor health. Water temperature was 68 degrees. No PFDs worn or accessible.							
16-015-86	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Lemhi	2
Narrative: Husband and wife, ages 33 and 35, drowned when they and 9 others were capsized from the 14 foot rubber raft. None of the subjects, many of them children, were wearing PFDs. No PFDs on board. 40 degree water temperature; swift current.							
16-016-86	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 56-year-old male drowned after falling from his 13 foot vinyl raft, while anchored and fishing in current. Circumstances unknown; accident was unwitnessed. No PFDs on board or used.							
16-017-86	UNK	UNK	UNK	River	Kootenai	Boundary	1
Narrative: 55-year-old male drowned while trying to back his vehicle and trailer into the water. Victim was a non-swimmer. Vehicle found 35 feet from shore. Circumstances unknown; unwitnessed.							
16-021-86	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Owyhee-Elmore	2
Narrative: 26 and 29-year-old males drowned after their 10 man raft, with one other adult male on board, capsized in the turbulent outflow of C.J. Strike. Raft was launched into recirculating eddy of discharge site in closed and boats@ area. Victims had been drinking. No PFDs on board or used.							
16-023-86	Open Motor	Gas	75	Lake	Lowell	Canyon	1
Narrative: 39-year-old male drowned after his 16 foot OB would not start and he swam for shore. Victim did not wear a PFD. PFDs were accessible and on board. Wife tried to save him. He twice slimmed from her hands and went down. Water temperature 70 degrees.							

1986 Total Fatalities: 19 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-055-86	Rowboat	Gas	2 2	River	Snake	Washington	1
Narrative: 46-year-old male drowned after the 12 foot OB he and 3 other adult males were in capsized. The victim tried to swim to shore with the others, leaving the capsized craft. Accident occurred at 11:00 pm PFDs were accessible. Unknown if used by others. Water temperature was 60 degrees.							
16-056-86	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Idaho/ Lewis	1
Narrative: 60-year-old male drowned after the 14 foot raft he was riding in flipped in Class III China Rapid. Victim and others were thrown into 60 degree water. Victim disappeared while in the rapid. Victim's PFD surfaced 20-30 minutes later. Victim was likely pinned or trapped. Three rafts in group; experienced rafters.							
16-087-86	Open Motor	Gas	6	Lake	Henry's	Fremont	1
Narrative: 84-year-old male drowned after falling overboard. Victim was fishing alone in a 12 foot OB and fell overboard in unknown circumstances. Water was choppy and rough. Water temperature was 68 degrees. Boat found running and going in right hand circles. PFDs on board. PFD not used by victim.							
16-088-86	Open Motor	Gas	7 2	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 71-year-old male drowned after his 12 foot OB capsized next to shore. Victim was launching or coming into shore and struck a rock. Victim lost his balance and fell in partially, swamping the boat. PFDs were on board, but not used. Circumstances unknown; unwitnessed. 40 degree water temperature.							

1987 Total Fatalities: 7

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-021-87	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Jefferson	2
Narrative: 53 and 54-year-old females drowned when their 6 foot raft hit a snag and capsized. One other subject survived. One victim was pinned underwater against a snag. The other was caught in the rope tied to the raft. No PFDs used or on board.							
16-035-87	Paddle Boat	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Island Park	Fremont	1
Narrative: A 3-year-old boy drowned when the 8 foot paddle boat he was in capsized while being launched. Victim's PFD was caught by seat and held him under the boat. Victim was held under approximately 20 minutes before he was found.							
16-051-87	Open Motor	Gas	N/A	Lake	Priest	Bonner	1
Narrative: 27-year-old male drowned after the 20 foot IO he was a passenger in struck and launched over the top of a 19 foot OB with 5 persons on board. The victim, along with two other occupants, was ejected from the boat. One occupant broke his jaw. No injuries in the other boat at first, but the second boat was a runaway and circled around and hit the boat again, causing facial laceration to the operator of the stationary boat. No PFDs on anyone at the time of collision. PFDs used once they were obtained.							
16-058-87	Open Motor	Gas	V8	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	3
Narrative: Three males drowned after the 17 foot IO struck a bridge abutment at a high rate of speed. Witnesses stated the boat had its lights out and struck the bridge at 30-40 miles per hour. Boat disintegrated and sank immediately. One of the four males (age 19) survived with moderate injuries. Victim/operator (age 24); BAC was .09. Second victim (male age 24) BAC was .14. Third victim (male age 18) BAC was .14. Operator was reported wearing a PFD. No others wearing PFD. Bridge was well lit. Alcohol on board boat.							

1988 Total Fatalities: 16

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-001-88	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Lake	Blue Lake	Bonner	1
Narrative: 25-year-old drowned after he and his 25-year-old male companion capsized their 18 foot canoe. Victim and subject may have reached for an item they dropped. Both stayed with canoe then decided to swim for shore. No PFDs were on board or used. Victims BAC was 0.7. Subject had also been drinking. Water temperature was 35 degrees.							
16-014-88	Open Motor	Gas	12	River	Snake	Elmore	2
Narrative: 32 and 26-year-old brothers drowned when their 13 foot OB swamped in the rapids. One subject survived. No PFDs on board or used.							
16-015-88	Open Motor	Gas	60	Reservoir	Black Tail	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male drowned when he fell out of his 17 foot OB. Victim was sitting on the back of the seat making a turn and hit the wake of another vessel. Victim fell into the water. Two subjects on board could not keep him afloat. PFDs were on board and used to try to rescue victim. Victim and subjects were not wearing PFDs. Victim was a weak swimmer. Water temperature was at 61 degrees.							
16-017-88	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Selway	Idaho	1
Narrative: 40-year-old male drowned when the raft he was operating flipped in Layde Rapids ejecting victim, 36-year-old brother, and a third subject. Victim held onto capsized raft but was swept away. Victim may have hit his head on rocks. Victim wearing PFD. Victim was found floating 15 miles downstream 4 hours later. Water temperature was 35 degrees.							
16-023-88	Open Motor	Gas	135	Reservoir	Palisades	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 51-year-old female drowned when the 18 foot OB she was riding in swamped and capsized. Victim was riding with six family members in heavy seas. Waves came over bow, then broke windshield. Boat swamped and rolled. Two children on board were wearing PFDs. Three PFDs remained on board. Victim was trapped under the boat. Boat washed ashore and beat on the rocks, causing head and internal injuries and resulting in drowning. PFD not worn by victim.							

1988 Total Fatalities: 16 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-024-88	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	S. Fork Clearwater	Idaho	1
Narrative: 32-year-old male was canoeing with two other canoeists. Victim's canoe capsized and he swam a long way in the river. Victim was pinned under a rock. His PFD popped out and then his body came out. CPR could not resuscitate the victim. Water temperature was 36 degrees.							
16-027-88	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Sesech	Valley	1
Narrative: 36-year-old Canadian kayaker drowned after coming out of his boat near 7 Mile Marker on the Sesech River. Victim, one of four boaters -- all very experienced and internationally recognized. Victim missed small eddy in Class V rapids. Victim rolled over and could not roll up. Victim exited the boat. Victim had a long swim and disappeared around the bend. Victim's body discovered pinned against a log 1/4 mile from point last seen. PFD and full protective gear worn by victim.							
16-029-88	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Idaho	1
Narrative: 40-year-old male drowned when the 14 foot McKinzeys drift boat hit as riding in struck a rock and broached in White Horse Rapids. Victim, son, and third adult male were just entering the rapids when the boat capsized and was pinned on a rock. Victim's son was the only person wearing a PFD. Victim was a non-swimmer.							
16-031-88	Open Motor	Gas	90	Lake	Payette	Valley	1
Narrative: 17-year-old male was struck by his 16 foot OB prop after falling overboard. Victim was doing circles around a canoe while seated on back of driver's chair. Boat was at full throttle. Victim and second person were thrown overboard when they hit their wake. The boat circled and struck victim in the head and arm. PFDs were on board, but not used.							
16-041-88	Open Motor	Gas	170	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 16-year-old died of head injuries or asphyxiation after he and a 17-year-old male subject struck lighted log boom at 12:47 pm. Both victim and subject had been drinking approximately five beers each. Victim struck log boom, became airborne and landed on the starboard side. Subject received moderate injuries. Victim was found under the boat, head down, between logs. Head was in the water. Alcohol was a factor.							

1988 Total Fatalities: 16 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-042-88	Open Motor	Gas	50	Reservoir	Cascade	Valley	1
Narrative: 68-year-old male drowned when his 14 foot OB swamped and sank. Victim, wife, and a third subject were fishing while anchored from the stern. Waves came over the transom. Victim tried to raise anchor, causing stern to plunge under the water. Victim's wife (a non-swimmer) put on a PFD as it went under. Victim (poor swimmer) sank along with family dog. Two hours later, dog was found alive trapped in an air space at the bow of swamped boat.							
16-059-88	Open Motor	Gas	140	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 33-year-old male was killed when the 21 foot IO in which he was riding was struck and run over by an 18 foot IO being driven by an 18-year-old male. Victim was one of four persons on board; all were injured. No injuries in second vessel. The 18-year-old driver had been consuming much alcohol. Of the eight persons on board, most were drinking; all under 18 years of age. Accident occurred at 11:30 pm. Victim's vessel was stationary. Other vessel was going 20-30 miles per hour.							
16-063-88	Open Motor	Gas	100	River	Snake	Adams	1
Narrative: 39-year-old male drowned when the 19 foot OB he was riding in swamped in Water Spout Rapids at Snake River Mile Marker 233.5. Victim and two other subjects were in a fiberglass Abass® style boat not made for white water. Boat was cresting a standing wave when one subject moved to the bow causing the bow to dig and capsize. One subject was wearing a PFD and swam to shore. Victim and other subject floated on turtled hull. Before going into the next rapids, they tried to swim for shore. Both were swept through the second rapid. Neither was wearing a PFD. Victim was in good physical condition and a strong swimmer. Water temperature was 54 degrees.							

1989 Total Fatalities: 20

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-002-89	Open Motor	Gas	35	River	Spokane	Kootenai	3
Narrative: 56, 46, and 7-year-old males drowned when their 16 foot OB was sucked through the Spokane River Channel Dam. Victims and one surviving subject launched 1/4 mile upstream but had engine trouble and drifted into intake area. PFDs were on board and were used. Victims tried to use anchor. No log boom was in place.							
16-012-89	Open Motor	Gas	40	Reservoir	Blackfoot	Caribou	1
Narrative: 31-year-old male drowned when the 15 foot OB he was riding in swamped in heavy seas. Victim and two other male subjects were fishing. Heavy weather moved in. Waves swamped and capsized the boat. Victim tried to swim for shore. One subject stayed with swamped boat. Other victim held on to cooler. PFDs not used.							
16-013-89	Open Motor	Gas	25	River	Clearwater	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 10-year-old drowned when the 16 foot OB he was riding in swamped in heavy current. Victim was one of four adults and four children fishing. Motor hit rock causing shear pin to break. The anchor was lowered but was tied to stern. When anchor lodged it caused boat to swamp, flushing everyone overboard. No PFDs were worn or on board vessel.							
16-018-89	Open Motor	Gas	130	Lake	Coeur d' Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 27-year-old male died of head and chest injuries when he skied into bridge abutment. Victim apparently did not see the abutment until the last moment when he cut hard to avoid it. Victim was wearing a PFD. Towboat had an observer. Boat operator signaled to watch out for abutment. Victim misunderstood and cut over towards the side operator was pointing to stay away from.							
16-020-9	Inflatable Canoe	Manual	N/A	Canal	Indian Creek	Ada	1
Narrative: 45-year-old male drowned when his 15 foot inflatable kayak capsized in swift water. Victim was boating in an undeveloped canal. Victim (swimmer) was not wearing a PFD. No PFDs on board.							

1989 Total Fatalities: 20 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-027-89	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Boise	Ada	1
Narrative: 7-year-old girl drowned when the raft she was riding in struck the bank in swift current and capsized. Victim was one of two adults and three children (mom, dad, and family) on board. Victim was wearing a PFD and was trapped in brush at river's edge. Not all persons on board had PFDs on.							
16-034-89	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	South Fork Snake	Ada	1
Narrative: 65-year-old male died when the 10-man raft he was riding in sucked through the Great Feeders Diversion Dam. Victim was one of four males on board who were sucked through the Great Feeder Canal gates. Two subjects were rescued at the gates. Victim and one other subject were washed 1/2 mile downstream. Victim may have suffered a heart attack. Alcohol was consumed by all four persons on board.							
16-045-89	Inflatable Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 56-year-old male drowned when the inflatable kayak in which he and his son were riding capsized in Pipeline Rapids (Class II). Victim and son were both wearing PFDs. Victim was pinned on rock bluff and in severe hydraulic and eddy at the bluff. Commercial outfitting trip.							
16-050-89	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Sinker Creek	Owyhee	1
Narrative: 64-year-old male drowned when his 12 foot rowboat capsized while fishing. Victim and another subject capsized when victim stood and lost his balance and fell backwards in the boat. No PFDs on board or used by victim or subject.							
16-052-89	Row Motor	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Mackay	Custer	1
Narrative: 55-year-old male died in unknown circumstances when his 8 foot homemade rowboat capsized while fishing. Victim was found draped over turtle hull. Accident unwitnessed. PFDs found on board but PFD not used by victim. Water temperature was 50 degrees.							
16-055-89	Cabin	Gas	204	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 69-year-old male drowned after falling from a dock, striking his head and plunging into the lake. Victim became dizzy while typing up his boat. Victim was not wearing a PFD.							

1989 Total Fatalities: 20 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-061-89	Open Motor	Gas	20	Lake	Coeur d' Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 73-year-old male drowned when he fell out of his 14 foot OB while fishing. Victim and 18-year-old male grandson were fishing when victim's line entangled with OB engine. Victim raised motor and was untangling it when he fell overboard. Grandson threw a PFD to victim but missed. Boat would not start to operate up to victim. Victim was a non-swimmer and not wearing a PFD. PFDs were on board.							
16-062-89	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Twin Falls	1
Narrative: 35-year-old male drowned when his 17 foot canoe capsized. Victim, wife, and their two young children were canoeing when they capsized on flat water with a strong current. Wife and children were wearing PFDs. Victim (non-swimmer) was not wearing a PFD. No PFD available for victim. Unknown water temperature.							
16-063-89	Raft	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Dworshak	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 25-year-old female drowned when she fell out of her 2-man inflatable raft. Accident unwitnessed, circumstances unknown. No PFD used or on board.							
16-067-89	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Clearwater	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 37-year-old male drowned after the 14 foot drift boat he was fishing in capsized. The anchor fell overboard and lodged in the rocks. While trying to pull the anchor up at Saddle Bags Hole Rapids, water came in over the stern washing all three male occupants into the water. No one was wearing PFDs. PFDs accessible on board. Water temperature 42 degrees.							
16-068-89	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	S. Fork Payette	Boise	1
Narrative: 32-year-old male drowned when the raft he was operating capsized two miles west of Little Fall in heavy white water. Victim and two other male subjects were thrown in the water. Victim stayed with the raft and continued down the river while holding on. Victim was pulled out after approximately 10 minutes. Victim wearing PFD.							
16-069-89	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Selway	Idaho	1
Narrative: 41-year-old female drowned in Ladle Rapids, three miles west of Moose Creek Ranger Station. Victim was one of a group of 14 people. Very experienced at caching and rafting. Victim fell out and swam through Ladle, Double Drop, and Moose Juice sections. Victim was pulled out approximately 10 minutes later. Victim was wearing a PFD and a wet suit.							

1989 Total Fatalities: 20 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-070-89	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Coeur d' Alene	Kootenai	1

Narrative: 4-year-old girl was killed when she was run over by the front and rear tires of pickup truck. The victim was standing in front of the truck when operator attempted to pull his boat and trailer out of water. Victim died instantly of head trauma.

1990 Total Fatalities: 7

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-011-90	Float Tube	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Minidoka	1
Narrative: 22-year-old male drowned when his float tube capsized while fishing in rapids and swift current. Victim was a swimmer and was not wearing a PFD or have one on board. Water temperature was 56 degrees.							
16-017-90	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 63-year-old male drowned when his 14 foot OB slipped out from underneath him while he was trying to untangle his fish line from a bridge pillar. Victim was standing on motor reaching for his line. The boat began to slip, leaving him clinging to the pillar. He slipped into the water, grabbed his boat, but then disappeared. PFDs on board, but not used by victim. Water temperature was 52 degrees.							
16-032-90	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Lake	Hauser	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 60-year-old male drowned while fishing when he fell from his 10 foot rowboat. Victim fell overboard in unknown circumstances and was unable to swim 20 yards to shore. Victim's BAC was .07. Water temperature was 60 degrees. Unwitnessed accident. No PFD on board or used by victim.							
16-040-90	Open Motor	Electric	1	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 41-year-old male drowned after falling out of his 14 foot rowboat with electric trolling motor. Victim was found hanging over transom with his right leg caught under the rear seat. His chest and head were underwater. Boat was going in slow circles. No PFD on board or used by victim. Unknown circumstances; unwitnessed.							
16-046-90	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 14-year-old girl drowned when her 10-man raft hit a rock and broached. Victim and subjects were drift fishing. When raft capsized, all were washed into the water. Victim's father caught her floating face down while wearing her PFD. Next rapid pulled victim from father's hands. Victim was pinned on rocks and lost her PFD.							
16-075-90	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Selway	Idaho	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male drowned after his raft was held in a hydraulic at Ladle Rapids, eventually tossing the victim and one other subject overboard. Victim did not surface for 15-20 seconds. When victim did surface, victim did not respond appropriately to calls to him and tosses from throw bags. Victim was head up and even turned to look at the rest of the rescuers. Victim was swept through the next two rapids and pulled from the water ten minutes from the							

time of the accident. Victim may have struck head or neck while underwater in hydraulic. PFD and wet suit worn.

1990 Total Fatalities: 7 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-076-90	Open Motor	Gas	175	Reservoir	Black Canyon	Gem	1

Narrative: 25-year-old male died of severe injuries when a 16 foot IO cut between him and his tow vessel, snagging his ski rope and severing arteries behind his knee. Victim was attempting to ski. Second boat, operated by an acquaintance male (age 39), cut between victim and his stationary tow vessel. Victim was immediately removed from the water and transported via vehicle to the hospital. No alcohol involved. Victim was wearing a PFD.

1991 Total Fatalities: 9

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-014-91	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	South Fork Boise	Elmore	1
Narrative: 26-year-old female died of severe head injuries when rocks fell from the canyon wall, striking her and one other subject while they were rafting. Victim was struck in head; other subject was struck in the leg causing moderate injury. PFDs were worn by all seven on board.							
16-016-91	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Lake	Meadow	Lemhi	1
Narrative: 62-year-old female died of cardiac arrest after she and her husband capsized their 14 foot canoe while fishing. Victim and husband capsized and held on to their canoe for 4-5 minutes. PFDs were worn by both. Other boater picked them and took them to shore. Victim suffered full arrest once on shore. Water temperature was 40 degrees.							
16-017-91	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Selway	Idaho	1
Narrative: 35-year-old male drowned after the drift boat he was in swamped near Rock Island Rapids while fishing. Victim and two others swam for shore. One subject stayed with the swamped boat. Victim never made it to the shore. No PFDs on board or used by an occupant. Alcohol was on board.							
16-024-91	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 52-year-old male drowned after the 10 foot drift boat from which he was fishing struck a log jam and broached. One other subject was trapped, with the victim under the boat. He unable to escape. Victim apparently had the anchor line wrapped around his neck. Victim was freed, but CPR did not revive him.							
16-036-91	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Clearwater	Clearwater	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male drowned in Irish Railroad Rapids (Class V) when he capsized his inflatable kayak. Victim and brother were in solo inflatable kayaks. Victim was pinned underwater. PFD later appeared, still buttoned. Victim was discovered days later with legs pinned in rocks, face down, head downstream.							
16-053-91	Open Motor	Gas	200	River	Snake	Twin Falls	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male drowned after the 21 foot jet boat struck a rock cliff. He had left the helm while underway. Victim and 34-year-old male passenger were both intoxicated, drinking eight beers and two daiquiris. Victim left the helm and told subject to "drive the son-of-a-bitch." Subject did not take control. Victim hit steering wheel and windshield on the way out of the boat. The boat sand trapped the occupant. Occupant took a breath from air trapped in bow and swam out. Occupant had a broken leg. Victim suffered head injuries before entering water. PFDs on board but not used.							

1991 Total Fatalities: 9 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-063-91	Open Motor	Gas	140	Lake	Spirit	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 13-year-old male died of propeller strikes when fell out of his 15-year-old brothers 18 foot IO ski boat. Brother turned abruptly to retrieve his downed skier. Victim was sitting on gunnel and fell backwards out of the boat. Victim was not wearing a PFD.							
16-068-91	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Jefferson	1
Narrative: 23-year-old male drowned when the 7 foot rowboat he and two others were fishing in capsized and sank while crossing the river. Occupants moved, causing boat to fill. All three jumped from boat and swam for shore. Victim was a non-swimmer. Others could not get to shore due to panic. No PFDs on board or used.							
16-071-91	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 88-year-old male drowned after falling from his 19 foot IO while fishing. Accident was unwitnessed. Auxiliary motor handle was in water, along with right-side battery hatch open. Speculation is he was working on his motor or wires when he fell overboard. PFDs on vessel, but not worn by victim.							

1992 Total Fatalities: 5

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-026-92	Open Motor	Gas	65	Lake	Payette	Valley	1
Narrative: 61-year-old male drowned after falling out of his 16 foot OB while fishing. Victim had history of heart problems. Boat found adrift with fishing pole line caught on bottom of lake. Circumstances unknown; accident unwitnessed. PFDs on board but not used. Water temperature was 58 degrees.							
16-027-92	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Lochsa	Idaho	1
Narrative: 40-year-old male kayaker drowned after striking his head on a ledge while side surfing in Surfer Rapids. Victim floated face down for approximately five minutes before being rescued. Severe head injury may have resulted from strike.							
16-028-92	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	North Fork Payette	Valley	1
Narrative: 28-year-old male kayaker drowned when his boat struck a log in the river then broached and pinned, trapping the victim. Accident site at Mile Marker 90 near Big Eddie Campground. Victim pinned four hours before extrication. Water temperature was 68 degrees.							
16-030-92	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Lake	Fernan	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 35-year-old male drowned when he and a second adult male capsized their 10 foot rowboat. Victim and subject were drinking heavily. Victim and subject were boating through 300 foot culvert under I90, between Lake Coeur d'Alene and Fernan Lake. Victim stood up to push boat along by putting his hands on ceiling of tunnel. No PFDs on board or used. Deputies swam into tunnel and saved other subject.							
16-061-92	Open Motor	Gas	135	Reservoir	Cascade	Valley	1
Narrative: Two males (one 69-years-old) were thrown off the boat while working on the engine. When they decided to swim back to shore, the 69-year-old male did not make it and apparently drowned. The body was not found until five days later.							

1993 Total Fatalities: 9

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-011-93	Open Motor	Gas	15	Reservoir	Oxbow	Adams	1
Narrative: 67-year-old male drowned after his 12 foot OB would not start, and he and his wife were swept into the bridge abutments downstream of Brownlee Dam. PFDs were on board but tied to seats. PFDs were not used by victim or subject.							
16-025-93	Rowboat	Manual	N/A	Creek	Marsh Creek	Custer	1
Narrative: 39-year-old female drowned after falling from her raft three miles downstream from State Highway 21. Victim and husband struck a rock and capsized. Victim was swept away and found floating face down 4-5 miles downstream. Victim was wearing a PFD and dry suit. Water temperature was 40 degrees.							
16-042-93	Open Motor	Gas	40	Reservoir	Magic	Blaine	1
Narrative: 68-year-old male suffered a heart attack, subsequent to he and a second male capsizing their 14 foot OB while fishing. Fishing lines became entangled in lower unit. While untangling the lines, the boat capsized. Victim almost drowned while untangling lines under the boat. Victim was rescued and swam to shore beside subject. Victim was alive and okay when left on shore. When subject returned from retrieving items from swamped boat, victim was in full arrest. PFDs on board, but not used.							
16-050-93	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Henrys	Fremont	2
Narrative: 70 and 82-year-old males drowned when their 15 foot OB capsized while fishing. A third subject was able to swim to shore. PFDs were on board, but not used by victims or subject.							
16-060-93	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Pend O'Reille	Bonner	1
Narrative: 79-year-old male drowned after falling out of his 16 foot OB while fishing with his wife. Victim was untangling fishing line from the trolling motor when he fell in. Victim appeared at the surface flailing his arms, then immediately went under. Victim was a swimmer. PFDs on board, but not used. Water temperature was 60 degrees.							
16-064-93	Open Motor	Gas	50	River	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 31-year-old male drowned after falling from his 16 foot OB. Victim was standing at stern of boat while underway. Victim fell in. Victim and other two adult males were consuming alcohol. Victim's BAC above .10. PFDs on board, but not used. Water temp. was 65 degrees.							

1993 Total Fatalities: 9 (cont'd)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-067-93	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Bonneville	2

Narrative: Father and son, ages 43 and 13, drowned while fishing after their 16 foot canoe capsized in the turbulent confluence of the Rine Dam Outlet and the Snake River. Accident was unwitnessed. PFDs on board, but it is not known if they were being used at the time. Both victims were found without PFDs on. Water temperature was 43 degrees.

1994 Total Fatalities: 7

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-008-94	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Lochsa	Idaho	1
Narrative: 51-year-old Montana man, drowned in the Lochsa River near Kooskia. Rubber raft capsized after hitting large boulder. Deceased pinned under raft. Not wearing PFD.							
16-030-94	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Payette	Boise	1
Narrative: 18-year-old Boise woman drowned in the Payette River near Banks. Rubber raft, carrying 15 people, capsized after hitting large boulder. Deceased was tangled in bowline and trapped under water. Victim was wearing PFD.							
16-057-94	Drift Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 59-year-old Idaho Falls man drowned in Henrys Fork of the Snake River near Ashton. Non-powered drift boat was dragging anchor for drag fishing. Anchor hung up on bottom, causing hull damage. Boat sank and occupants flushed out at the head of the rapids. Victim not wearing PFD.							
16-065-94	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Bonneville	1
Narrative: 68-year-old Idaho Falls woman died of cardiac arrest in the South Fork of the Snake River near Swan Valley. Non-powered paddle raft capsized. Victim not wearing PFD.							
16-085-94	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 52-year-old Spokane woman drowned in the lower Salmon River near Cottonwood. Inflatable kayak capsized while maneuvering Snow Hole Rapids. Deceased submerged and never resurfaced. Victim wearing PFD.							
16-097-94	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Pond	Rose	Bingham	1
Narrative: 66-year-old male. Accident in Rose Pond, Bingham County, near Blackfoot. A 14 foot aluminum boat with outboard motor. Victim fell overboard while fishing and was unable to get back into boat or to shore. Exact cause of death undetermined (either natural cause or drowning), pending action by the county coroner. Victim not wearing PFD.							
16-101-94	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Minidoka	1
Narrative: 38-year-old Rupert drowned in the Snake River east of Rupert. Canoe capsized in four feet of calm water. Victim's BAC tested at .365 (about the level most people would be rendered unconscious). Victim not wearing PFD.							

1995 Total Fatalities: 12

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-003-95	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Killarney	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 57-year-old male victim, intoxicated, drowned in Killarney Lake, Kootenai County, southeast of Coeur d'Alene. Beer cans/whiskey bottles were at the scene. Boat capsized and victim fell overboard. Victim was submerged in 40 degree water one hour while attempting to swim for shore. Victim drowned after hypothermia. Five people were on board the 15 foot boat; 2 swam and 2 remained at boat until rescued. PFDs were not worn.							
16-019-95	Cataraft	Manual	N/A	River	Snake	Twin Falls	1
Narrative: 41-year-old male victim was from Boise. Victim was one of party of two catarafters who publicly announced they were going to be the first to run this white water stretch at high water. Accident occurred at the Snake River, Twin Falls County, Star Falls or "Milner Run", a one-mile stretch between the Idaho Power dam (bridge) and Hydroelectric Plant, 5.5 miles north of Murtoch. Television crews witnessed the accident. Victim and subject had met with Sheriff's deputies at 9:30 am at site. Deputies tried to talk them out of it, but they launched at 12:30 pm. Dam had three releases beginning at 9:30 am of 5,000 CFS, at 10:30 am of 5,000 CFS, and at 12:30 pm of 2,500 CFS. Stretch signed and sirens were working. Third party Cataraft attempted rescue above the dam. PFDs were worn.							
16-022-95	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 39-year-old male victim was from Boise. Accident occurred in the Salmon River, 16 miles west of Riggins, Idaho County. Victim was an inexperienced river runner (owned canoe one year). He apparently chose to use the canoe to cross the river to get to residence rather than the available tram car. Canoe capsized. Body was under water 15 days; canoe never retrieved. PFD was worn.							
16-070-95	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Reservoir	Magic	Camas	1
Narrative: 15-year-old male drowned in Magic Reservoir, Camas County. Boat capsized by high winds, swamped boat, and victim fell overboard. Boat was over capacity with six people aboard a 14 foot open boat. Two adults and three younger children survived. Victim could not swim. PFDs worn by younger children; adults and victim worn none. Boat also sank.							
16-034-95	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Payette	Boise	1
Narrative: 39-year-old male drowned in the "canyon" on the South Fork of the Payette River. Experienced river runner. Four passengers were self rescued. Victim swam with boat 15 minutes and then became separated from the boat.							

1995 Total Fatalities: 12 (cont.)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
16-042-95	Ski	Gas	390	River	Snake	Cassia	1
Narrative: 4-year-old male drowned in Snake River near Burley, Cassia County. Victim fell overboard. High performance ski boat pulling skier, turned hard to retrieve skier. Boy had just jumped up on seat and was then thrown out. He was prop chopped to the head and died two hours later at hospital. PFDs worn.							
16-071-95	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon		1
Narrative: 15-year-old male drowned in Salmon River, below the North Fork, 15 miles north of Salmon. Scout troop river trip. Boy was from Thayne, Wyoming. Kayak capsized following collision with log jam/obstacle. Victim pinned under log jam by force of current. PFD was worn.							
16-089-95	Jet Ski	Gas	508	Reservoir	Lucky Peak	Ada	1
Narrative: 16-year-old female drowned at Lucky Peak Reservoir, Ada County. Teenagers, first-time users, in church youth group outing. Near head-on collision with another personal watercraft. Not rentals, privately-owned vessels. PFDs worn.							
16-094-95	Canoe	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Cascade	Valley	2
Narrative: Two 21-year-old males told friends at 9:30 pm they were going canoeing. Only one knew how to swim. Night air temperature in the teens, with possible winds. Victims fell overboard; death was from drowning and exposure. Bodies were discovered three days later with the use of police (scent) dogs 150 feet from shore. No PFDs worn or on board.							
16-109-95	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	Lake	Priest	Bonner	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male was fishing in Priest Lake, Bonner County, near Papoose Island (120-170 feet deep). Victim assumed dead from fall overboard, although no one actually saw it happen. Victim was in his 21 foot outboard boat while it was being towed to shore by a friend. No PFDs worn or on board.							
16-092-95	Open Motor	Gas	UNK	River	Clark Fork	Bonner	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male was water fowl hunting at Clark Fork River, Bonner County, and fell overboard. Three men on board; the other two successfully swam to shore. All had on either hip or chest waders when the boat capsized. The deceased was a full-time fireman. No PFDs were worn or on board.							

1996 Total Fatalities: 7

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
	Motor Boat	Gas	UNK	Reservoir	Anderson Ranch	Elmore	1
Narrative: 43-year-old female drowned in Anderson Ranch Reservoir at Fall Creek, Elmore County, southeast of Boise. Two-boat party; second boat jumped wake of first boat when first boat slowed abruptly. Second boat collided and then launched into air almost vertically and over two passengers before falling stern side down. Victim was thrown 100 feet from first boat. Only minor injuries to other passengers. PFDs not worn.							
	Motor Boat	Gas	UNK	Reservoir	Anderson Ranch	Elmore	1
Narrative: 24-year-old male drowned in Anderson Ranch Reservoir, between Pine Dock and Deer Creek Lodge. Victim was reportedly driving erratically, "pulling doughnuts," when the boat capsized. Alcohol was involved. Two surviving children wore adult-sized PFDs. Victim worn none.							
	Dory Drift	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 50-year-old male drowned in Salmon River, at Chittem Creek, 10 miles east of Riggins, Idaho County. Veteran river guide was on a "marathon." Had just finished 125 miles of the Salmon River. This was the last major rapids before Vinegar Creek, 15 miles from Riggins. Two passengers from Lewiston survived. The Salmon River had hit its highest flow in a decade at White the following day at 95,840 CFS.							
	Jet Boat	Gas	UNK	River	PDA River	Bonner	1
Narrative: 28-year-old male drowned in PDA River by Laclede, Bonner County. Boat was going at high speed; victim lost control of vessel when attempting to turn in river channel. Two others in boat survived. Alcohol was involved. No PFDs worn.							
	Raft	Manual	N/A	Canal	New York	Ada	1
Narrative: Male of unknown age died in New York Canal, Ada County, Boise, Idaho. Details still pending. Supposedly four people in a two-man raft. Victim fell overboard. PFDs not worn.							
	Motor Boat	Gas	UNK	Reservoir	C. Ben Ross Reservoir	Adams	1
Narrative: 70-year-old male from Council drowned in C. Ben Ross Reservoir, Adams County. Victim fell overboard while picking up hat or while tuning motor. Alcohol was involved. PFD not worn but was in the boat.							

1996 Total Fatalities: 7 (cont'd)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
	Jet Boat	Gas	UNK	River	Snake	Power	1

Narrative: 43-year-old male drowned in Snake River, below American Falls Reservoir, Power County. Boat hit a rock and all passengers were ejected into 4-foot water, with current. Victim had an injured leg from a previous accident, and drifted downriver into 40 feet of water. Victim disappeared under current. BOR dropped water level to facilitate dive rescue. Body was found the following morning. Two other passengers were wearing PFDs; victim wore none.

1997 Total Fatalities 20

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
9716009	Open Motorboat	Gas	125	Reservoir	Brownlee	Washington	1
Narrative: 38-year-old male drowned in Brownlee Reservoir near rail road tressel bridge, Washington County. Operator attempted to travel through rapids under bridge. Waves knocked boat on side, throwing passengers in to the water. Operator drowned. PFD's where not worn at time of accident.							
9716010	Raft	Manual	None	River	Salmon River	Custer / Valley	1
Narrative: 46 year-old male drowned in south fork of the Salmon River when a two man raft capsized. One passenger was able to swim to shore, body deceased surfaced later that day.							
9716011	Canoe	Manual	None	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 26 year-old male drowned in Clearwater River when vessel came in contact with an Eddy that forced the bow into the water, throwing the operator into the current. Witness saw victim struggling to stay afloat, then lost sight of him. Deceased was not wearing a PFD.							
9716012	Kayak	Manual	None	River	Payette	Ada	1
Narrative: Male drowned in South Fort of the Payette River when his kayak overturned. Victim was being instructed to leave equipment and swim to shore, he did not.							
9716014	Kayak	Manual	None	River	Salmon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 31 year-old male exact cause of death unknown. Experienced kayaker caught in class IV rapids. A PFD was worn.							
9716015	Rowboat	Propeller	3	Reservoir	CJ Strike	Owyhee	2
Narrative: 24 & 31 year-old males drowned in CJ Strike Reservoir after their boat capsized. PFD's were not worn and alcohol was involved.							
9716018	Motorboat	Propeller	9.8	River	Clearwater	Nez Perce	2
Narrative: 47 & 50 year old males drowned in Clearwater River. Vessel was towing a log down the river when it collided with the bridge, then swung around hit the vessel, throwing the passengers into the water. PFD's were not worn by any of the passengers.							
9716019	Motorboat	Propeller	170	Reservoir	Lucky Peak	Ada	1

Narrative: 31 year-old male drowned when he fell out of the starboard bow. The rear of the boat came over top him, victim was struck by propeller. Operator was inattentive and swerved to miss cliffs. Victim was not wearing a PFD.

9716030	Motorboat	Propeller	N/A	Lake	Payette	Valley	1
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1997 Total Fatalities 20 (cont'd)

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
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Narrative: 23 year-old male drowned after vessel struck rocks off Simplot Point at Payette Lake. Deceased was not wearing a PFD.

9716035	Motorboat	Propeller	10	Reservoir	Cascade	Valley	1
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Narrative: 62 year-old male, exact cause of death unknown. Vessel capsized, deceased may have had a heart attack while trying to rescue the other passengers who had been thrown into the water when boat overturned. PFD's where on the boat but not worn.

9716039	Raft	Manual	None	River	Payette	Boise	1
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Narrative: 37 year-old male drowned after vessel capsized on the Payette River. PFD was not properly fastened and came off in the water.

9716043	Motorboat	Propeller	N/A	Lake	Payette	Valley	1
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Narrative: 5 year-old male fell into water and was struck by the vessel's propeller.

9716046	Motorboat	Propeller	N/A	Lake	Winchester	Lewis	1
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Narrative: 33 year-old male drowned after the vessel capsized. PFD's were not worn and alcohol was involved.

9716051	Motorboat	Propeller	50	River	Clearwater	Clearwater	1
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Narrative: 40 and 46 year-old males drowned when their boat struck rocks. Both passengers were ejected from the vessel and into the water. One victim wearing a PFD, the other was not.

9716055	PWC	Water Jet	69	Lake	Coeur d' Alene	Kootenai	1
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Narrative: 41 year-old male death caused by internal injuries brought on by collision. PWC collided with another PWC.

9716058	Motorboat	Propeller	3.0	Lake	Cave	Kootenai	2
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Narrative: 31 and 45 year old males drowned after their vessel flooded and rolled port side, ejecting passengers. After a struggle to swim to shore, two of the passengers died. Heavy hunting gear was worn. PFD's were not.

1998 Total Fatalities 11

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
98-16-004	Row Boat	Manual	N/A	River	Boise	Elmore	1
Narrative: 26-year-old male drowned after his fishing boat collided with the fish ladder of Anderson Ranch Dam. PFD was not worn.							
98-16-005	Sweep Raft	Propeller	N/A	River	Salmon	Lemhi	1
Narrative: 46-year-old female drowned after the 30-passenger sweep raft struck a stump. The vessel was lifted up onto its side, spilling the passengers into the river. Victim was pinned under the raft on the upstream side and was not wearing a PFD.							
98-16-011	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Bruneau	Owyhee	1
Narrative: 44-year-old female was an experienced paddler and died in Class III water.							
98-16-020	Inflatable	Manual	N/A	River	Henrys Fork Snake River	Fremont	1
Narrative: Party floating river and fishing. Ran into a fish strainer and washed all parties overboard. Three swam to shore. Victim (male, 72) was located next day 1/2 mile downstream.							
98-16-023	Raft	Manual	N/A	Lake	Upper Twin Lake	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 34-year-old male drowned when his raft capsized in frigid water while fishing. Victim was unable to return to the safety of the vessel once he had turned it right-side-up. PFD was not worn.							
98-16-025	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Payette	Valley	1
Narrative: 24-year-old male drowned after his kayak was overturned — accident was unwitnessed.							

98-16-029	Kayak	Manual	N/A	Reservoir	Arrowrock	Boise	1
Narrative: 45-year-old male experienced a seizure or catastrophic medical event. Vessel overturned — victim was unconscious before he entered the water. PFD was not worn.							
1998 Total Fatalities 11 (cont'd)							
Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
98-16-030	PWC	Water Jet	N/A	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 17-year-old male died from cardiac laceration after his vessel collided with another.							
98-16-036	Row Boat	Manual	N/A	Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Benewah	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male caused injury to the head when vessel collided with a fixed piling.							
THE FOLLOWING TWO NUMBERS WERE ASSIGNED BY THE COAST GUARD							
98-16-098	Rowboat	Propeller	N/A	Lake	Smith's	Boundary	1
Narrative: 42-year-old male drowned after falling overboard. No PFDs were worn. Alcohol was involved.							
98-16-099	Motorboat	Propeller	N/A	Lake	Walcott	Blaine	1
Narrative: 35-year-old male died from loss of blood after being struck by propeller of vessel. Victim was waterskiing, and operator of boat turned around to pick up skier when mishap occurred. Operator charged with OUI. Victim had also been consuming.							

1999 Total Fatalities

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
99-16-	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	Grouse Creek	Bonner	1
Narrative: 69-year-old male, experienced kayaker put in at Grouse Creek. Sheriff's assumption is that the vessel capsized and victim struck his head and drowned. PFD was worn.							
99-16-	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Henry's Fork	Fremont	2
Narrative: 24-year-old female and 27-year-old male (from Utah) drowned while canoeing when the vessel approached rapids. Canoe capsized, throwing all three passengers into the water. Victims were not wearing PFDs.							
99-16-	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Snake River, Hells Canyon	Idaho	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male (from Canada) drowned tried to solo open canoe with a mountain bike and backpack strapped in. Accident unwitnessed. PFD was worn.							
99-16-	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	South Fork, Salmon River	Valley	1
Narrative: 30-year-old male (from Colorado) drowned while kayaking in whitewater. Victim was washed downstream for 3 miles. CPR was performed, but unsuccessful. PFD worn.							
99-16-	Raft	Manual	N/A	Creek	Hells Canyon	Idaho	1
Narrative: Victim was male (age unknown) were fishing from a raft. Raft dropped into a hole in the rapids. No PFD.							
99-16-	PWC	Jet Ski		Lake	Coeur d'Alene	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 36-year-old female (from Idaho) was on PWC with companion after dark with no lights on. Collided with 18' vessel and all occupants were thrown overboard. Victim was pronounced dead at the scene. PFD was worn. Drugs and alcohol was involved.							

1999 Total Fatalities

Bar No.	Boat Type	Propulsion	HP	Type of Water	Body of Water	County	No. of Fatalities
99-16-	Raft	Manual	N/A	River	Salmon River	Lemhi	1
Narrative: 22-year-old male (from Idaho) drowned while in the water and holding onto the raft and urinating. Victim was caught under a downed tree. No PFD worn. Heavy alcohol use.							
99-16-	Pontoon	Propeller		Lake	Cascade Lake	Valley	1
Narrative: 64-year-old male fell overboard the 25' pontoon on which he was a passenger and drowned. PFD not worn. Alcohol involved.							
99-16-	Kayak	Manual	N/A	River	North Fork Payette River	Valley	1
Narrative: 30-year-old male (from Tennessee) drowned when he fell overboard in whitewater. PFD was worn.							
99-16-	Motorboat	Propeller		Lake	Henrys Lake	Fremont	1
Narrative: 56-year-old male (from Idaho) drowned while attempting to motor back to dock in windstorm. No PFD was worn.							
99-16-	Motorboat	Propeller		Lake	Hayden Lake	Kootenai	1
Narrative: 36-year-old male (from Idaho) was checking out motor on fishing boat and fell overboard and drowned. No PFD was worn.							
99-16-	Motorboat	Propeller		River	Snake River	Nez Perce	1
Narrative: 64-year-old male (from Idaho) was reported missing. Powerboat found at anchor. When anchor was raised, victim was found caught in the anchor line with wraps going around his leg. No PFD was worn.							

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Total Fatalities: 9

BARDS NO.	BOAT TYPE	PROPULSION	HP	TYPE OF WATER	BODY OF WATER	COUNTY	NO. OF FATALITIES
2000-ID-0038	Unknown			Lake	Lake Pend Oreille	Bonner	1

Narrative: 63-year-old male from the state of Washington was fishing alone and fell overboard. Was wearing PFD. Was not found for several hours. Cause of death was hypothermia. Alcohol was not involved. Water temperature was in the 50's.

2000-ID-0040	Unknown			Lake	Hoodoo Lake	Bonner	1
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Narrative: 72-year-old male was fishing with two other friends and started to rock the boat for fun. Boat capsized. Victim could not swim and was not wearing a PFD. State of origin is not known at this time. Cause of death was drowning. Alcohol was involved.

2000-ID-0041	Kayak	Manual	N/A	Whitewater	Teton River	Bonneville	1
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Narrative: 45-year-old male from the state of Idaho was kayaking in up to Class III whitewater. Victim capsized and came out of his boat and was pinned against a rock. By the time help got to him he was underwater. It appeared his legs were pinned against the rock with the boat bent around the rock. The body was washed downstream and found in a deep hole one week after the accident. Cause of death was drowning. Alcohol was not involved.

2000-ID-0032	Open Motorboat	Outboard	Propeller	River	Main Snake	Jefferson	1
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Narrative: 53-year-old male from the state of Idaho was fishing and was known to be having motor trouble. Accident was not witnessed. Victim fell overboard or boat struck a snag and was pinned. Victim was wearing PFD but it was not buckled. Cause of death was drowning. Alcohol was not involved.

2000-ID-0033	Personal Watercraft	Jet Ski		River	Snake	Gooding	1
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Narrative: 7-year-old male from the state of Idaho was operating a sit-down PWC by himself and collided with a rock. Child was thrown headfirst into a tree on the bank – he was not wearing a helmet. Child was operating the watercraft with permission and under the supervision of his father. Father was on a PWC in the immediate area. Cause of death was trauma. No alcohol was involved.

2000-ID-0042	Canoe	Manual	N/A	River	Pend Oreille River	Bonner	1
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Narrative: 44-year-old male from the state of Idaho was canoeing when the vessel capsized. Victim fell overboard about 20 feet from shore. Victim was not wearing a PFD. Cause of death was drowning. No alcohol was involved.

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Total Fatalities: 9

2000-ID-0043	Open Motorboat			Lake	Gem Lake on Snake River	Bonneville	1
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Narrative: 18-year-old female was a passenger in a vessel doing recreational activity. Two vessels collided, knocking several people overboard. It was felt by sheriff's officers that victim was knocked unconscious and the cause of death was drowning. No PFD was worn. No alcohol was involved. Cause of accident was overloading of vessel and operator inattention on other vessel.

BARDS NO.	BOAT TYPE	PROPULSION	HP	TYPE OF WATER	BODY OF WATER	COUNTY	NO. OF FATALITIES
2000-ID-0044	Personal Watercraft	Jet Ski		Lake	Hayden Lake	Kootenai	1

Narrative: 80-year-old female from the state of Washington was killed when a jet ski with a 3-year-old male aboard struck the dock. Victim was on the dock, loading a small vessel tied to the dock. The father left 3-year-old child aboard the jet ski and the child pushed the throttle of the jet ski, setting it in motion. Cause of death was trauma. Child was wearing a PFD. No alcohol was involved.

2000-ID-0051	Open Motorboat	Propeller		River	Snake River	Canyon	1
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Narrative: 48-year-old male from the state of Idaho was raising the anchor on his 14' (with electric trolling motor) fishing boat and fell overboard. Fishing companion tried to rescue victim but was unable to hold him above the surface. Cause of death was drowning. No PFD was worn. Large amounts of alcohol may have been involved.